

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Examiner has rejected claims 1 and 2 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Christensen (U.S. Pat. No. 6,662,193) in view of Hofmann et al. (U.S. Pat. Appl. No. 2001/0020255). Applicant respectfully traverses.

Contrary to Examiner's assertion, paragraph [0035] of Hofmann et al. '255 discloses limited functionality that doesn't allow browsing and thus teaches away from Applicant's invention. Accordingly, because Hofmann et al. '255 teaches away, one skilled in the art would not make the combination between Christensen '193 and Hofmann et al. '255. Accordingly, in view of Applicant's traversal of Examiner's rejection of claims 1 and 2, claims 1 and 2 should now be allowed.

The Examiner has rejected claims 3 and 4 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Christensen '193 in view of Hofmann et al. '255, further in view of Covington et al. (U.S. Pat. Appl. No. 2003/0154135). Applicant respectfully traverses.

Paragraph [0012] of Covington '135 describes an in-house or in-mall computer with scanners, not a wireless web browser; in paragraph [0076] of Covington '135 it is clear that the device of Covington '135 is a scanner, not a browser; and in paragraph [0101], Covington '135 discloses browsing done by computer, not by a handheld. In view of Applicant's traversal of Examiner's rejection of claim 2 from which claims 3 and 4 depend, and further because Covington et al. '135 does not disclose that the handheld device has a browser, rather that the computer has a browser, the Examiner's rejection of claim 2 is traversed and of claims 3 and 4 is now moot. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully believes that claims 2, 3 and 4 are in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

No new matter has been added. Applicant respectfully believes that that the application is now in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this submission, she is invited to contact the undersigned counsel at the telephone number below.

Respectfully submitted, this 20th day of November, 2007,



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